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The following Authorities, Boards and Commissions are classified as political subdivisions of the Commonwealth. The Governor appoints the members of the Authority, Board or Commission who in turn appoint an Executive Director or Secretary. The powers conferred upon an authority vary. Please refer to the specific code reference for further information pertaining to a particular Authority. In general, an Authority is vested with the powers of a body corporate, including the power to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, make contracts, and adopt and use a common seal and alter the same as may be deemed expedient; may acquire or lease such property or any interest therein.

Not included in this section are Authorities to which the Governor appoints the Executive Director nor those whom receive appropriations for the Fiscal Year during which this volume is published.

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### FORT MONROE FEDERAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

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Code Reference: § 15.2-7302

Purpose, Powers  
and Duties:

To formulate and oversee a reuse plan for Fort Monroe located in Hampton, Virginia.

Composition:

There is hereby created a political subdivision and public body corporate and politic of the Commonwealth of Virginia to be known as the Fort Monroe Authority, to be governed by a Board of Trustees consisting of 11 voting members appointed as follows: the Secretary of Natural Resources and the Secretary of Commerce and Trade, or their successor positions if those positions no longer exist, from the Governor's cabinet; the member of the Senate of Virginia and the member of the House of Delegates representing the district in which Fort Monroe lies; two members appointed by the Hampton City Council; and five nonlegislative citizen members appointed by the Governor, four of whom shall have expertise relevant to the implementation of the Fort Monroe Reuse Plan, including but not limited to the fields of historic preservation, tourism, environment, real estate, finance, and education, and one of whom shall be a citizen representative from the Hampton Roads region. Cabinet members and elected representatives shall serve terms commensurate with their terms of office. Citizen appointees shall initially be appointed for staggered terms of either one, two, or three years, and thereafter shall serve for four-year terms. Cabinet members shall be entitled to send their deputies or other cabinet member, and legislative members another legislator, to meetings as full voting members in the event that official duties require their presence elsewhere. The Governor's Assistant for Commonwealth Preparedness may serve as an ex officio, nonvoting member of the board.

Term: Four years

Membership: **Gubernatorial Appointees**

John R. Lawson, II, Newport News ..... term expires 6/30/2011  
Colin G. Campbell, Williamsburg ..... term expires 6/30/2012  
James Church, Virginia Beach ..... term expires 6/30/2012  
G. Robert Aston, Jr., Portsmouth ..... term expires 6/30/2013  
Kimberly Ann Maloney, Williamsburg ..... term expires 6/30/2013

#### **Senate Appointees**

Senator John C. Miller, Newport News

#### **House Appointees**

Delegate Thomas D. Gear, Hampton

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### **City of Hampton Appointees**

Ross A. Kearney  
Molly Joseph Ward

### **Ex Officio**

Jim Cheng, Secretary of Commerce and Trade  
Doug Domenech, Secretary of Natural Resources  
Terrie Suit, Assistant to the Governor for Commonwealth Preparedness

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### **FORT MONROE HISTORIC PRESERVATION ADVISORY GROUP**

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Code Reference: § 15.2-6304.1

Purpose, Powers and Duties: To help guide the development of a financially self-sustaining stewardship plan ("Historic Preservation Plan") for the long term management and use of the historic assets at Fort Monroe, for the benefit of the citizens of the Commonwealth and the United States.

Composition: Nine members including one member who is a representative from the State Historic Preservation Office, one member from the National Trust for Historic Preservation, four members appointed by the Governor and three members appointed by the Fort Monroe Federal Area Development Authority

Term: Pleasure of the Governor

Membership: **Gubernatorial Appointees**

William T. Frazier, Staunton  
Eleanor F. Krause, Alexandria  
Dorothy Spruill-Redford, Creswell, North Carolina  
Jeanne Zeidler, Williamsburg

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### **HAMPTON ROADS SANITATION DISTRICT COMMISSION**

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Location: 1436 Air Rail Avenue  
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23455  
Tel. (757) 460-2261

Code Reference: § 21-291.2

Purpose, Powers and Duties: To collect and treat wastewater within the District within permits issued by the State Water Control Board and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Composition: Eight members appointed by the Governor, one from each of the following districts: the Cities of Norfolk, Virginia Beach, Newport News, Hampton, Chesapeake, Suffolk or Isle of Wight County, Williamsburg or James City County, Poquoson or Gloucester County, Portsmouth, and the York County. Each member and his successors shall be residents of the territory of the districts. Any member who shall cease to reside within the territory from which he was appointed shall thereupon be disqualified from holding office. The commission elects a general manager.

Term: Four years

General Manager: Edward G. Henifin, Hampton

Membership: **Gubernatorial Appointees**

B. Anne Davis, Portsmouth ..... term expires 6/07/11

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Michael E. Glenn, Norfolk ..... term expires 6/07/11  
Gerald S. Johnson, Chesapeake ..... term expires 6/07/12  
I. Vincent Behm, Jr., Hampton ..... term expires 6/07/12  
Arthur C. Bredemeyer, Suffolk ..... term expires 6/07/13  
Maurice P. Lynch, Gloucester Point..... term expires 6/07/13  
Rick N. Elofson, Newport News..... term expires 6/07/14  
Vishnu K. Lakdawala, Virginia Beach ..... term expires 6/07/14

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### **NORTHERN VIRGINIA TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY**

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Code Reference:    § 15.2-4830

**Purpose, Powers  
and Duties:**

The Authority shall be responsible for long-range transportation planning for regional transportation projects in Northern Virginia. In carrying out this responsibility, the Authority shall, on the basis of a regional consensus, whenever possible, set regional transportation policies and priorities for regional transportation projects. The policies and priorities shall be guided by performance-based criteria such as the ability to improve travel times, reduce delays, connect regional activity centers, improve safety, improve air quality, and move the most people in the most cost-effective manner.

**Composition:**

The Authority shall consist of sixteen members as follows: The chief elected officer of the governing body of each county and city embraced by the Authority or, in the discretion of the chief elected officer, his designee, who shall be a current elected officer of such governing body; Two members of the House of Delegates who reside in different counties or cities embraced by the Authority, appointed by the Speaker of the House, to the extent practicable, from the membership of the House Committee on Appropriations, the House Committee on Finance, or the House Committee on Transportation; One member of the Senate who resides in a county or city embraced by the Authority, appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules, to the extent practicable, from the membership of the Senate Committee on Finance and the Senate Committee on Transportation; and Two citizens who reside in counties and cities embraced by the Authority, appointed by the Governor. One gubernatorial appointment shall include a member of the Commonwealth Transportation Board who resides in a county or city embraced by the Authority. The remaining gubernatorial appointment shall be a person who has significant experience in transportation planning, finance, engineering, construction, or management and shall be a resident of a county or city embraced by the Authority, but shall not be a resident of the same county or city as the other gubernatorial appointee to the Authority. In addition, the following persons shall serve as nonvoting members of the Authority: the Director of the Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation, or his designee, and the Commonwealth Transportation Commissioner, or his designee.

**Term:**

The gubernatorial appointee who is not a member of the Commonwealth Transportation Board shall serve for a term of four years.

**Membership:**

**Gubernatorial Appointees**

Kerry J. Donley, Alexandria ..... term expires 6/30/12  
F. Gary Garzinski, Clifton ..... term expires 6/30/14

**Senate Appointee**

Senator Mary Margaret Whipple, Arlington

**House Apointees**

Delegate Joe T. May, Leesburg  
Delegate Thomas Davis Rust, Herndon

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### **Designated Members**

Sharon Bulova, Fairfax  
William D. Euille, City of Alexandria  
Robert F. Lederer, City of Fairfax  
Martin Nohe, Prince William  
Harry J. “Hal” Parrish, II, City of Manassas  
Bryan Polk, City of Manassas Park  
David F. Snyder, City of Falls Church  
Scott K. York, Loudoun County  
Christopher Zimmerman, Arlington County

### **Ex Officio**

Corey Hill, Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation  
Morteza Salehi, Northern Virginia District, VDOT

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### **TOBACCO SETTLEMENT FINANCING CORPORATION**

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Location:	3 North Monroe Street Richmond, VA 23220-4914 Tel. 804 225-2142
Code Reference:	2002 Acts of Assembly, Chapter 488
Purpose, Powers and Duties:	To carry out the financing, purchasing, owning and managing of Tobacco Assets.
Composition:	The board shall consist of the State Treasurer and five additional members appointed by the Governor who shall have significant experience in financial management and investments. The Governor shall designate a chairman.
Term:	Four years. Members with less than six years of services on the board may be appointed for an additional term.
Chair:	Jerry B. Flowers III, Courtland
Membership:	<b>Gubernatorial Appointees</b>  Jerry B. Flowers III, Courtland.....term expires 6/30/07 Joseph R. Cobbe, Martinsville .....term expires 6/30/08 Joseph N. Waddy, Richmond.....term expires 6/30/09 Suzanne Bachman, Richmond.....term expires 6/30/10 David D. Owen, Richmond.....term expires 6/30/10

### **Designated Member**

Manju Ganeriwalar, State Treasurer

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### **TOURIST TRAIN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**

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Code Reference:	§ 15.2-6500
Purpose, Powers and Duties:	Established for the purpose of developing a tourist train. The authority shall cooperate with any private or governmental entity in the state of West Virginia in the development of a tourist train.
Composition:	The board shall consist of nine members as follows: seven members appointed by the Governor of whom three shall be representatives from the governing bodies of Tazewell County, the Town of Bluefield, Virginia, and the Town of Pocahontas and four shall be nonlegislative citizen members who reside in Tazewell County; one member of the House of Delegates representing Tazewell

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County, who shall be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Delegates if more than one Delegate represents Tazewell County; and one member of the Senate representing Tazewell County, who shall be appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules if more than one Senator represents Tazewell County.

Term: Four years

Membership: **Gubernatorial Appointees**

Anita Brown, Pocahontas ..... term expires 6/30/08  
Kenneth Franklin, Pocahontas ..... term expires 6/30/10  
Amy Jo Flick, Pocahontas ..... term expires 6/30/12  
Earl W. Griffith, Jewell Ridge ..... term expires 6/30/12  
Don Harris, Bluefield ..... term expires 6/30/12  
David W. Olive, Bluefield ..... term expires 6/30/14  
Aaron M. Roberts, Cedar Bluff ..... term expires 6/30/14

### **Senate Appointee**

Senator Phillip Puckett, Lebanon

### **House Appointee**

Delegate Anne B. Crockett-Stark, Wytheville

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## **VIRGINIA BIOTECHNOLOGY RESEARCH PARK AUTHORITY**

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Location: 800 East Leigh Street  
Richmond, Virginia 23298  
Tel. (804) 828-5390 Fax (804) 828-8566  
Internet: [www.vabiotech.com](http://www.vabiotech.com)

Code Reference: Acts of Assembly Chapter 946, 1993

Purpose, Powers and Duties: To facilitate and coordinate scientific and technological research and development and to promote the industrial and economic development of the Commonwealth.

Composition: Nine members: the President of Virginia Commonwealth University, the Mayor for the City of Richmond or his designee, and the Secretary of Commerce and Trade, who shall serve as director during his term of office. The remaining six members shall be appointed by the Governor from a list of nominations submitted by the Board of Directors of the Authority, subject to confirmation by the General Assembly.

Term: Three years

President: Robert T. Skunda

Membership: **Gubernatorial Appointees**

Robert L. Jesse, Richmond ..... term expires 6/30/11  
Zobair M. Younossi, Fairfax Station ..... term expires 6/30/11  
Samuel Boykin Hunter, Richmond ..... term expires 6/30/12  
Benjamin J. Lambert, III, Richmond ..... term expires 6/30/12  
Craig R. Smith, Richmond ..... term expires 6/30/13  
Aiguo Wu, Arlington ..... term expires 6/30/13

### **Designated Members**

Jim Cheng, Secretary of Commerce and Trade  
Dwight C. Jones, Mayor of the City of Richmond

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Dr. Michael Rao, President of Virginia Commonwealth University

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### VIRGINIA COALFIELD ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

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Location:	Russell County Industrial Park Route 71 Post Office Box 1060 Lebanon, Virginia 24266 Tel. (540) 889-0381 Fax (540) 889-1830
Code Reference:	§ 15.1-1635
Purpose, Powers and Duties:	To enhance the economic base for the coalfield regions of the Commonwealth by providing financial support for purchase of real estate, construction of buildings for sale or lease, installation of utilities, and for direct loans and grants to private for-profit basic employers; and to apply for matching funds from the state or federal government or the private sector.
Composition:	Sixteen members of the Commonwealth: three shall be the chairs of the county board of supervisors of the three counties which are the three largest contributors to the Virginia Coalfield Economic Development Fund for the fiscal year immediately preceding July 1 of the year in which new terms of members are to begin. Five at-large appointed by the Governor, provided that if there be any participating county or city in which there resides no member of the board appointed by the other methods herein specified, the Governor shall include at least one member who is a resident of each such county or city among his appointees. One shall be a representative of the Virginia Economic Development Partnership, designated by the Executive Director of the Partnership. One shall be a representative named by the Virginia Coal Association. Two shall be the Executive Directors of the LENOWISCO and Cumberland Plateau Planning District Commission. Three shall be representatives named by the three largest coal producers determined by the dollar value of their contributions to the Virginia Coalfield Economic Development Fund for the fiscal year immediately preceding July 1 of the year in which the terms of the new members are to begin. One shall be a representative named by the largest gas and oil producer determined by the dollar value of their contributions to the Virginia Coalfield Economic Development Fund for the fiscal year immediately preceding July 1 of the year in which the terms of the new members are to begin. The board may appoint an executive director.
Term:	Four years
Executive Director:	Jonathan S. Belcher
Membership:	<b>Gubernatorial Appointees</b>  Donald B. Baker, Clintwood.....term expires 6/30/12 Sue E. Boatright-Wells, Hiltons.....term expires 6/30/12 George F. Cridlin, Jonesville .....term expires 6/30/12 B. Robert Raines, Norton.....term expires 6/30/12 Jay P. Rife, Grundy .....term expires 6/30/12  <b>Designated Members</b>  Jim Baldwin James Carroll Branham R. S. Lewis Harry D. Childress Joe Gillespie Steve Greer Dana G. Kilgore Michael J. Quillen Gerald Ramsey

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Donnie Rife  
Glen Skinner

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### **VIRGINIA COMMERCIAL SPACE FLIGHT AUTHORITY**

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Location: NASA/GSFC/WFF  
Bldg. N-134  
Wallops Island, Virginia 23337-5009  
Tel. (757) 824-2335 Fax (757) 824-2332

Code Reference: § 2.2-2202

Purpose, Powers and Duties: To assist in the development of a commercial space flight center. The authority shall have and may exercise all powers necessary or convenient for the carrying out of its statutory purposes.

Composition: Thirteen members, four of whom shall be the President of the Center for Innovative Technology, the President of Old Dominion University, the Secretary of Commerce and Trade, and the Secretary of Technology who shall serve as directors. The remaining nine shall be appointed by the Governor, subject to confirmation by the General Assembly, as follows: four representative of the commercial space flight industry, two representing the telecommunications industry, one representing the County of Accomack, one representing the County of Northampton, and one member at-large.

Term: Three years

Executive Director: Billie Reed

Membership: **Gubernatorial Appointees**

Vincent C. Boles, Annadale ..... term expires 6/30/10  
Frank V. Moore, Onley ..... term expires 6/30/10  
Jeffrey K. Windland, Ashburn ..... term expires 6/30/10  
Brian Darmody, Catonsville ..... term expires 6/30/11  
J. Jack Kennedy, Wise..... term expires 6/30/11  
Mark E. Bitterman, Vienna..... term expires 6/30/12  
R. Keith Bull, Machipongo..... term expires 6/30/12  
Dennis K. McCarthy, Chestertown, Maryland..... term expires 6/30/12  
John J. Stolte, Nolesville ..... term expires 6/30/12

**Designated Members**

Jim Cheng, Secretary of Commerce and Trade  
Jim Duffey, Secretary of Technology  
John R. Broderick, President, Old Dominion University  
Peter Jobse, President, Center for Innovative Technology

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### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS, VIRGINIA NATIONAL DEFENSE INDUSTRIAL AUTHORITY**

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Location: Riverfront Plaza, 19<sup>th</sup> Floor  
901 East Byrd Street  
Richmond, Virginia 23218-0798  
Tel. (804) 545-5715 Fax (804) 545-5641  
Internet: [www.vndia.org](http://www.vndia.org)

Code Reference: § 2.2-2328

Purpose, Powers and Duties: To promote the health, safety, welfare, convenience, and prosperity of the people of the Commonwealth in support of national defense..



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**Composition:** 18 nonlegislative members appointed as follows: four members to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Delegates; two members to be appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules; and 12 members to be appointed by the Governor as follows: (i) three persons who are retired General Officers or Department of Defense Senior Executive Service members representing the United States Armed Forces or the Department of Defense, (ii) four persons representing civic interests in the regions of Central Virginia, Southwestern Virginia, Northern Virginia, and Hampton Roads, (iii) one person representing higher education, and (iv) two persons with experience in commercial real estate and public financing, (v) the Adjutant General of Virginia, and (vi) the Secretary of Commerce and Trade.

**Term:** With the exception of initial staggered terms, and the appointment of the Adjutant General of Virginia and the Secretary of Commerce and Trade, who shall serve terms coincident with their terms of office, all appointments shall be for six years.

**Executive Director:** R. Stanton Scott

**Membership: Gubernatorial Appointees**

Jeff B. Franzen, Norge ..... term expires 6/30/11  
The Honorable John W. Knapp Sr., Lexington..... term expires 6/30/11  
Gen. Robert Magnus, USMC (Ret.), Alexandria ..... term expires 6/30/11  
John B. Adams, Jr., The Plains..... term expires 6/30/14  
Capt. Leonard P. Wales, USN (Ret.), McLean ..... term expires 6/30/14  
William L. Welch, Jr., Vienna ..... term expires 6/30/14  
Gen. John N. Abrams, USA (Ret.), Alexandria ..... term expires 6/30/16  
Jeffrey Wassmer, Newport News..... term expires 6/30/16  
William H. Parrish, Maidens ..... term expires 6/30/16  
Craig W. Duehring, Fairfax Station ..... term expires 6/30/16

**Senate Appointees**

Rear Adm. Robert R. Fountain, Jr., USN (Ret.), Montross..... term expires 6/30/14  
Vice Adm. James D. McArthur, Jr., USN (Ret.), Suffolk ..... term expires 6/30/16

**House Appointees**

Rear Adm. John G. Hekman, USN (Ret.), Richmond..... term expires 6/30/11  
Kurt Henry Tripp, Stafford..... term expires 6/30/14  
Delegate Cord A. Sterling, Stafford ..... term expires 6/30/16  
G. William Beale, Bowling Green ..... term expires 6/30/16

**Designated Members**

Jim Cheng, Secretary of Commerce and Trade  
Daniel E. Long, Jr., Adjutant General of Virginia

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### VIRGINIA OFFSHORE WIND DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

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**Code Reference:** § 67-1201

**Purpose, Powers  
and Duties:**

The Virginia Offshore Wind Development Authority is created as a body corporate and a political subdivision of the Commonwealth and as such shall have, and is vested with, all of the politic and corporate powers as are set forth in this chapter. The Authority is established for the purposes of facilitating, coordinating, and supporting the development, either by the Authority or by other qualified entities, of the offshore wind energy industry, offshore wind energy projects, and associated supply chain vendors by collecting relevant metocean and environmental data, by identifying existing state and regulatory or

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administrative barriers to the development of the offshore wind energy industry, by working in cooperation with relevant local, state, and federal agencies to upgrade port and other logistical facilities and sites to accommodate the manufacturing and assembly of offshore wind energy project components and vessels, and by ensuring that the development of such projects is compatible with other ocean uses and avian and marine resources, including both the possible interference with and positive effects on naval facilities and operations, NASA-Wallops Flight Facility operations, shipping lanes, recreational and commercial fisheries, and avian and marine species and habitats. The Authority shall, in cooperation with the relevant state and federal agencies as necessary, recommend ways to encourage and expedite the development of the offshore wind energy industry. The Authority shall also consult with research institutions, businesses, nonprofit organizations, and stakeholders as the Authority deems appropriate.

**Composition:** The Authority shall be composed of 11 nonlegislative citizen members appointed by the Governor. Of these, three members shall be appointed by the Governor from a list of nine persons provided by the Secretary of the Navy or his designee and one member shall be a representative of the Virginia Commercial Space Flight Authority. With the exception of the three members appointed from the list provided by the Secretary of the Navy or his designee and the representative of the Virginia Commercial Space Flight Authority, all members of the Authority shall reside in the Commonwealth.

**Term:** Except as otherwise provided herein, all appointments shall be for terms of four years each. No member, except for the members representing the Navy, shall be eligible to serve more than two successive four-year terms.

**Membership:** **Gubernatorial Appointees**

Mark Bitterman, Vienna.....term expires 6/30/12  
Brian L. Redmond, Henrico.....term expires 6/30/12  
John M. Bondareff, Alexandria.....term expires 6/30/13  
Robert Matthias, Virginia Beach.....term expires 6/30/13  
Arthur W. Moye, Jr., Norfolk.....term expires 6/30/13  
Mary C. Doswell, Richmond.....term expires 6/30/14  
Lisa D. Johnson, Glen Allen.....term expires 6/30/14  
Ron Ritter, Chesapeake.....term expires 6/30/14

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### **VIRGINIA PORT AUTHORITY**

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**Location:** 600 World Trade Center  
Norfolk, Virginia 23510  
Tel. (757) 683-2103  
Internet: [www.portofvirginia.com](http://www.portofvirginia.com)

**Code Reference:** § 62.1-128

**Purpose, Powers and Duties:** To develop and improve harbors and seaports, and promote shipment of cargo and commerce through Virginia's ports.

**Executive Director:** Jerry A. Bridges

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### **BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE VIRGINIA PORT AUTHORITY**

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**Code Reference:** § 62.1-1298

**Purpose, Powers and Duties:** To provide oversight for the Virginia Port Authority

**Composition:** Eleven members appointed by the Governor and the State Treasurer. Appointments shall be made by the Governor in such a manner as to insure the widest possible geographic representation of all parts of the Commonwealth. No

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resident of the Cities of Chesapeake, Hampton, Newport News, Norfolk, Portsmouth, or Virginia Beach shall be eligible for appointment or reappointment if his appointment or reappointment would increase or maintain the number of members residing in such cities above the number of three. One of the members appointed or reappointed from the cities previously mentioned shall be a resident of the Cities of Portsmouth or Chesapeake, Norfolk or Virginia Beach, and Newport News or Hampton. The board appoints an executive director.

Term: Five years; no more than two successive terms.

Chairman: John Milliken

Membership: **Gubernatorial Appointees**

Stephen M. Crumbie, McLean .....term expired 6/30/11  
 Joe B. Fleming, Portsmouth.....term expired 6/30/11  
 Marvin Friedberg, Delray Beach, Florida .....term expired 6/30/11  
 J. Granger MacFarlene, Roanoke.....term expired 6/30/11  
 Mark Goodwin, Richmond .....term expired 6/30/12  
 Allen R. Jones, Newport News .....term expired 6/30/12  
 Michael J. Quillen, Gate City .....term expired 6/30/12  
 Deborah K. Stearns, Norfolk .....term expired 6/30/12  
 Barbara J. Fried, Crozet.....term expired 6/30/14  
 John G. Milliken, Arlington.....term expired 6/30/14  
 Thomas M. Wolf, Richmond.....term expired 6/30/14

### **Designated Member**

Manju Ganeriwala, State Treasurer

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### **BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, VIRGINIA PUBLIC SCHOOL AUTHORITY**

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Location: 101 North 14th Street, Floor 3  
 Richmond, VA 23219-3665  
 Tel. (804) 225-4929

Code Reference: § 22.1-164

Purpose, Powers and Duties: The Authority shall manage and administer all moneys or obligations that may be set aside and transferred to it from the principal of the Literary Fund by the General Assembly for public school purposes, issue bonds, secure payments, invest funds, and provide for repayment to the Literary Fund.

Composition: Eight members: the State Treasurer, the Comptroller, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, or his designee, and five members appointed by the Governor, subject to confirmation by the General Assembly. The Governor designates a chairman from among his appointees who shall also serve as chief executive officer of the Authority.

Term: Six years

Chairman: Brenda L. Skidmore

Membership: **Gubernatorial Appointees**

Woodrow W. Mullins, Jr., Cedar Bluff .....term expires 6/30/12  
 James M. Holland, Richmond.....term expires 6/30/14  
 Kaanchana K. Thamodaran, Virginia Beach .....term expires 6/30/14  
 Ben Loyola, Virginia Beach .....term expires 6/30/16  
 Brenda L. Skidmore, Richmond.....term expires 6/30/16

### **Designated Members**

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Manju Ganeriwala, State Treasurer  
David A. Von Moll, Comptroller  
Patricia I. Wright, Ph.D., Superintendent of Public Instruction

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### **VIRGINIA RECREATIONAL FACILITIES AUTHORITY**

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Location: Post Office Box 8508  
Roanoke, Virginia 24014-0508

Code Reference: § 10.1-1601

Purpose, Powers and Duties: To provide a high quality recreational attraction in the western part of the Commonwealth; expand the historical knowledge of adults and children; promote tourism and economic development in the Commonwealth; set aside and conserve scenic and natural areas along the Roanoke River and preserve open-space lands; and enhance and expand research and educational programs.

Term: Pleasure of the Board

Executive Director: Dennis Toney

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### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS, VIRGINIA RECREATIONAL FACILITIES AUTHORITY**

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Code Reference: § 10.1-1602

Purpose, Powers and Duties: To provide for residents and tourists quality recreational attractions in the western part of the Commonwealth; promote public awareness of the role the Commonwealth played in opening the American West during the early 19th Century; conserve the scenic and natural areas along the Roanoke River; and enhance and expand research and educational programs in such areas as veterinary care, horticulture, agriculture, botany, biology, and natural resources.

Composition: The Authority shall be governed by a board of directors consisting of 19 members who shall be appointed as follows: two members of the Senate to be appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules; four members of the House of Delegates to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Delegates in accordance with the principles of proportional representation contained in the Rules of the House of Delegates; and 13 nonlegislative citizen members to be appointed by the Governor, upon consideration of the recommendation of the River Foundation, if any, and subject to confirmation by the General Assembly. Nonlegislative citizen members of the Authority shall be citizens of the Commonwealth.

Term: Five years

Membership: **Gubernatorial Appointees**

Alfred C. Anderson, Vinton.....	term expires 6/30/11
Claude Reynolds, Roanoke.....	term expires 6/30/11
Peter D. Vieth, Roanoke.....	term expires 6/30/11
Kelvin C. Bratton, Roanoke.....	term expires 6/30/14
Carolyn D. Fiddler, Vinton.....	term expires 6/30/14
Elmer C. Hodge, Jr., Bedford .....	term expires 6/30/14
David A. Hurt, Hardy .....	term expires 6/30/14
John C. Renick, Roanoke .....	term expires 6/30/14
William Tanger, Hollins.....	term expires 6/30/14
Gregory D. Habeeb, Salem .....	term expires 6/30/15
Jane Sullivan Horne, Penhook .....	term expires 6/30/15
Trixie L. Averill, Vinton.....	term expires 6/30/15
Mark S. Lawrence, Roanoke.....	term expires 6/30/15

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### **Senate Appointees**

Senator Stephen H. Newman, Forest  
Senator Mark D. Obenshain, Harrisonburg

### **House Appointees**

Delegate Bill H. Cleaveland, Roanoke  
Delegate James W. Morefield, North Tazewell  
Delegate David A. Nutter, Christiansburg  
Delegate Onzlee Ware, Roanoke